

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	PETROGIANNIS et al.	Examiner:	William S. Powers
Serial No.:	10/022,559	Group Art Unit:	2134
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Title:	WEB-BASED METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR APPLYING A LEGALLY ENFORCEABLE SIGNATURE ON AN ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT		

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the communication mailed June 18, 2009, the period of response being extended from September 18, 2009 to November 18, 2009.

Payment is made by credit card in the amount of \$245.00 to cover the required extension fee for a small entity. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725.



Respectfully submitted,

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